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Applicant: Lopatin et al.
Title: METHOD OF USING AN ADHESION PRECURSOR LAYER FOR
CHEMICAL VAPOR DEPOSITION (CVD) COPPER DEPOSITION
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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION FOR
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Sir:

Enclosed is a Certificate of Correction, Form PTO/SB/44, for United States Patent
Number 7,169,706 issued January 30, 2007. The following Patent Office printing errors appear
in the issued patent:

IN THE CLAIMS

The exact location of the errors in the claims of the issued patent are as follows:

Column 5:

line 27, delete "a" after "providing".

line 30, replace "edhesion" with --adhesion--.

line 54, insert --layer-- between "blending" and "using".

Column 6:

line 18, insert --,-- between "material" and "and".

line 19, insert --and-- after "Cr;".

Applicants submit that the above changes would not constitute new matter, and correction thereof would not require reexamination.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.322, Applicants request that the enclosed Certificate of Correction be approved.

Although Applicants believe that no fee is required for this Request, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Request to Deposit Account No. 06-1447.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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